IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Philippe ROBERT

Application No.: New U.S. National Stage of PCT/FR2004/003216

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For: MICROCOMPONENT COMPRISING A HERMETICALLY-SEALED

MICROCAVITY AND METHOD FOR PRODUCTION OF SUCH A

MICROCOMPONENT

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.